

Amendments to the Claims:

Claims 1 and 7 have been amended.

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

1 (currently amended). A method of creating a semantic summary of a video comprising the steps of:

- (a) identifying a domain of said video;
- (b) using said domain to locate information related to said video at a source other than said video;
- (c) extracting a datum related to a semantic event from said information, said semantic event describing a portion of said video; and
- (d) identifying [[a]] said portion of said video related to said datum; and
- (e) displaying summary information relative to said portion of said video to a user.

2 (original). The method of claim 1 wherein said information is a textual summary of events.

3 (original). The method of claim 1 wherein said information is included in a worldwide web site.

4 (original). The method of claim 1 wherein said information is included in an electronic programming guide.

5 (original). The method of claim 1 wherein said domain is identified from an electronic programming guide.

6 (original). The method of claim 1 further comprising the step of selection of said datum by a user of said summary.

7 (currently amended). A method of abstracting video comprising the steps of:

- (a) locating an index of said video from a source external to said video;
- b) identifying a domain of said video for creating a video abstraction;
- (c) using said domain together with said index to identify portions of said video for inclusion in said video abstraction; ~~and~~
- (d) extracting said identified portions of said video from said video to form said video abstraction; and
- (e) displaying said video abstraction to a user.

8 (original). The method of claim 7 wherein said index is included in a worldwide web site.

9 (original). The method of claim 7 wherein said index is included in an electronic programming guide.

10 (original). The method of claim 7 further comprising the step of identification of said domain by a user of said abstraction.

11 (amended). A method of creating a semantic summary of a video comprising the steps of:

- (a) identifying a domain of said video;

- (b) using said domain to locate a textual summary of said video;
- (c) extracting a datum related to a semantic event relevant to said video summary from said textual summary;
- (d) locating content in said video corresponding to said datum; and
- (e) extracting said content related to said semantic event from said video corresponding to said datum from said video for inclusion in said a semantic summary including at least one portion of said video.

12 (previously presented). A method of abstracting video comprising the steps of:

- (a) locating an index of said video in at least one of a worldwide web site and a programming guide;
- (b) identification of a domain of said video for creating a video abstraction by a user;
- (c) using said domain together with said index to identify portions of said video for inclusion in said video abstraction; and
- (d) extracting said identified portions of said video from said video to form said video extraction.